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ROOSEVELT HAS STRONG INNINGS

National Committee Gives Colonel Eight Delegates.

PRESIDENT SECURES EIGHTEEN

Missouri Contests, Which Threatened Another Bitter Struggle Between Supporters of Rival Candidates, Are Compromised by Giving Roosevelt Eight and Taft Six of the Seats.

Chicago, June 14.—Eight delegates for Colonel Roosevelt and eighteen for President Taft marked the gains of the two chief rivals for the Republican presidential nomination from the decisions of contest cases by the Republican national committee.

In addition the committee settled disputes between rival Roosevelt factions in two North Carolina districts, thus clearing the colonel's title to four votes from that section, making twelve the total number of delegates placed to his credit.

It was a day of Roosevelt victories, but victories achieved with the full acquiescence of the Taft majority on the national committee.

Missouri's contests, which threatened another battle between the Taft and Roosevelt factions in which the lines would be closely drawn, were so effectively compromised that the committee was unanimous in giving Roosevelt eight and Taft six of the contested delegates from that state. The decisions were:

For Taft—Two each from the Second, Third, Fourth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Missouri districts; two each from the Third, Seventh and Fourteenth Missouri districts.

For Roosevelt—Four delegates at large from Missouri; two each from the First and Fifth Missouri districts; two each from the Third and Ninth North Carolina districts.

At the end of a week of constant work over the contested delegations the committee has given President Taft a total of 159 delegates and Colonel Roosevelt a total of thirteen.

Instructed for Roosevelt.

In the Ninth North Carolina district the committee seated the McNinch-Greene delegation, but the contest did not involve presidential candidates, as both delegations were instructed for Roosevelt. Before taking up the Ninth district contest the committee considered the Third district contest and seated two Roosevelt delegates, Marion Butler and W. S. O'Brien.

When adjournment was taken it was the belief that other compromises could be effected to dispose of some of the remaining contests without the formality of arguments.

In the Missouri cases, as soon as Governor Hadley's Roosevelt delegation had been seated, conferences were undertaken among the Missouri factions which resulted in the dividing of the contested delegations between Roosevelt and Taft. Similar conferences are expected to result in the consolidation of several of the other state cases.

These compromises will not affect Texas or Washington, it is understood, but may in several of the other states.

The contests remaining involve eighty-two delegates—two from North Carolina, eight from Tennessee, thirty from Texas, twenty from Virginia, fourteen from Washington, two from Alaska, two from the District of Columbia, two from Oklahoma and two from South Carolina.

An alleged agreement to split the delegation at large from Missouri supplied the excuse for the Taft contests in that case. The agreement, the Taft men said, was made by a committee including Governor Hadley and Secretary Nagel.

JUSTICE HUGHES SAYS NO

Will Not Be Compromise Candidate at Chicago.

New York, June 14.—Associate Justice Charles E. Hughes of the United States supreme court passed through this city on his way from Washington to the Adirondacks. He has taken Camp Abenaki at Lake Placid and will spend the summer there.

To friends who spoke to him of the reports from Chicago regarding the possibility that he might be made a compromise candidate for the presidency by the Republican national convention he said that he was entirely out of politics and would not permit the use of his name under any circumstances and that this must be regarded as final.

COMMONER VISITS ST. PAUL

Bryan Addresses Joint Session of the Legislature.

St. Paul, June 14.—William Jennings Bryan, a delegate to the Minnesota legislature, arrived in the city at a joint session. He joked with them good naturedly over the shortcomings of lawmakers in general and urged the enactment of legislation which would make the government essentially democratic, not, however, in the partisan sense of the term. The enactment of initiative, referendum and recall measures, he declared, were vital in the process now going forward to make government truly representative.

SAMUEL UNTERMYER.

Counsel for Committee in Money Trust Probe.



LOAN WAS FEDERAL CASH

Where Morgan Got Money to Check Panic in 1907.

New York, June 14.—Evidence intended to show that the \$25,000,000 which J. P. Morgan has been generally credited with placing upon the New York Stock Exchange during the panic of 1907 was really supplied by the treasury of the United States was introduced at the hearing of the Pujol committee of the house of representatives that is investigating the money trust.

Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the committee, obtained from George B. Cortelyou, secretary of the treasury under the Roosevelt administration, the assertion that he "understood" that the money loaned by the government to the banks at that time was to be used on the stock exchange.

BITTERLY ATTACKS CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Fitzgerald Says Taft Misused Traveling Fund.

Washington, June 14.—Charging that President Taft had misused the \$25,000 traveling expenses fund voted yearly by congress Chairman Fitzgerald of the house appropriations committee bitterly attacked the president during consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill.

He declared the president, on his recent Western trip, had misused the accompanying newspaper and secret service men, in spite of protests, to bolster his depleted funds.

"It is deplorable," he said, "to have to state these facts to this house and to the country."

Mr. Fitzgerald declared, however, that he would vote for the item, which eventually was adopted, 78 to 55. He said facetiously that he believed it would "pay the Democratic party and the country if the president traveled the year around." He then referred directly to the president's Western trip.

"What happened in order to enable him to make this trip?" he demanded.

"The cost of a special train to be utilized by the president in that trip was figured out in advance. The pro rata cost of each person was figured out and every newspaper man who accompanied that train was requested to pay \$1,500 for his expenses."

TO INVESTIGATE HANFORD

House Directs Committee to Visit the West.

Washington, June 14.—By unanimous vote the house directed a subcommittee of the judiciary committee to go to Seattle, Wash., and other places to investigate charges against Federal Judge Cornelius Hanford which have arisen through his decision in the Olsen Socialist citizenship case.

Chairman Clayton named the following subcommittee to go to Seattle to take testimony in the Hanford case: Representative Graham, Illinois; Representative Higgins, Connecticut; and Representative McCoy, New Jersey.

TWO FATALITIES IN FIRE

Aged Man Suffocated and Wife Killed by Jumping.

Minneapolis, June 14.—An aged woman and her husband met death, more than thirty other persons fled clad and damage to the extent of \$5,000 was done in a fire which attacked a duplex house.

After her husband had been overcome by smoke Mrs. Christine Swanson, sixty-five years old, leaped from an attic window to the ground forty feet below, alighting on her back and suffering injuries from which she died while on the way to the hospital.

SENATORS GET DISCOURAGED

Even the Leaders Find Business Crowding Them.

COMMITTEE PLAN BLAMED.

It Would Work Out Better if Important Legislation Were Better Distributed. Tariff Only For Talk at This Session. A Story of Admiral Farragut as a Water Peddler.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, June 14.—[Special.]—Even powerful men get discouraged sometimes and feel like throwing up the sponge. Take senators whose long service and eagerness for power have given them places on a number of committees and they sometimes find the business of the senate crowding them to such an extent that they are almost willing to surrender power, especially when they cannot have their own way.

Since the senate has become so large it is necessary that much of the business should be done in committees. When a few senators seek and obtain committees which give them the control of nearly all the appropriations, for instance, there are times in the session when their duties overlap and they cannot give attention to every detail of all the bills in their care.

If there was a disposition to distribute the important legislation the committee plan would work out better and be more evenly divided.

Tariff Only For Talk.

It has long become apparent that the tariff is only for talk this session. No one expects any of the bills to become laws, yet the men behind them think that they should be sent to the president in order to demonstrate that he will veto them. The different measures have furnished much discussion during the session, but there is no adjustment of the intricate schedules on a business basis.

The tariff may be a good vote getter. No one can tell. In nearly every campaign where it has been an issue it has been clouded with other issues to such an extent that we do not have an up and down declaration from the people on the subject. But it must be a good vote getter because everybody is willing to make it a political issue.

Farragut, Water Carrier.

Congressman Austin of Tennessee, speaking of the poor boys at the Naval academy, told the house how Admiral Farragut when a boy helped his father peddle water about the city of Knoxville.

"I would like to ask," interrupted former Speaker Cannon, "whether you have considered whether the water cart and the development of good manhood in the boy were not more responsible for his success than the training at the Naval academy?"

"His school of adversity and early hardships were of great value," replied Austin, "but he needed the training of the Naval academy to make him the great naval hero."

Rucker's Object.

On different occasions Congressman Rucker of Colorado makes a speech so self laudatory that everybody can see at a glance that he is satirizing the house. "Why, three years ago I made a speech," he said not long ago, "a great speech, the greatest speech ever made upon this proposition."

Explaining afterward in private, Rucker said: "There are so many men in the house who believe that they are bearing the world upon their shoulders that I like to get after them and ridicule them. Each thinks he is an individual Atlas and is so fearful that he may make a misstep and spill the world over that he never gets rid of that self important air which enveloped him when he appeared in the house for the first time."

Ten Cents a Word.

Speaking of cable toils to London at 10 cents a word, one of the old time correspondents who did not long ago used to tell that when he began sending telegraph to the New York Herald from Washington in 1852 the rate was 10 cents a word. He was frequently called down by Bennett for sending too much.

What Jim Hay Got.

The army appropriation bill as it passed the house was a wonder, reorganizing the army, cutting off two regiments of cavalry and doing many other rather surprising things. As agreed upon by the conferees it was a comparatively mild measure. James Hay of Virginia engineered the bill through the house and was responsible for its many provisions. After the conference some asked:

"I wonder what Jim Hay got out of that bill?"

"He got Leonard Wood's head," was the reply, referring to the provision which forever bars Wood from becoming chief of staff again.

Pertinent Inquiry.

The house was discussing an official in one of the departments who was in dispensable.

"Suppose he had passed in his checks what would become of the bureau?" inquired Uncle Joe Cannon.

"What does the gentleman mean by 'passed in his checks'?" inquired Sabbath of Illinois.

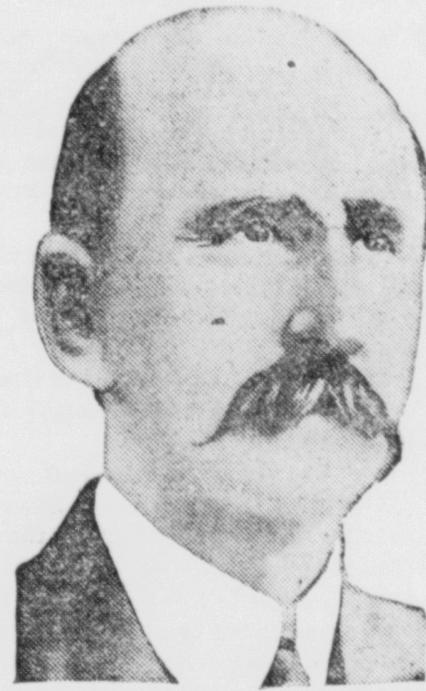
"Oh, my dear colleague knows," airily replied the veteran.

Gold Sovereigns.

Sovereigns were first coined in the reign of Henry I, but they were then worth 22 shillings.

GOVERNOR M'DONALD.

No Open Gambling at Las Vegas on Day of Big Fight.



WILL BAR OPEN GAMBLING

Governor of New Mexico Favors Law Enforcement.

Santa Fe, N. M., June 14.—Reports that plans were being considered to give visitors to Las Vegas for the Johnson-Flynn battle, July 4, personal experience with old-time frontier life by open gambling as in pioneer days have been brought to the attention of Governor W. C. McDonald. It became known. The governor admitted he had heard such rumors and that he had conferred with District Attorney C. G. Ward and Mayor R. J. Taupert of Las Vegas, who had assured him that the anti-gambling laws would be enforced strictly.

ALLEGED INTRIGUE AGAINST WOOD

House Adopts Conference Report on Army Bill.

Washington, June 14.—Startling charges of an intrigue against Major General Leonard Wood, chief of staff of the army, begun by the late Senator Marcus A. Hanna and kept alive by his friends, were only part of a series of sensations which attended the adoption by the house of the army appropriation bill conference report.

Reference to a Western senator, whose son-in-law, Brigadier General Pershing, would be one of the first officers in line for appointment to General Wood's office if President Taft signs the bill which carries an amendment to depose the chief of staff; allusions to Major General Charles F. Humphrey as "the agent for the powder trust;" and to Senator Du Pont's connection with the powder business furnished other incidents in what perhaps was as stormy a session as the house has seen in many a day.

Nevertheless, in spite of a vain fight led by Representatives Prince, Cooper and Martin, the house adopted the report which had been approved by its conferees and accepted by the senate and if President Taft signs the bill, as it is said he will, General Wood will be removed from his office on March 4, 1913, and the retention or disposal of many army posts which the war department has characterized as useless will be left to a commission.

STRIKERS IN UGLY MOOD

Riots and Reign of Terror at Perth Amboy, N. J.

Perth Amboy, N. J., June 14.—The strike situation here is more serious than it has been since several thousand employes in factories quit work early this week.

While several men representing the state militia were hastening here from Trenton under orders from Governor Wilson to decide whether the situation warranted calling out the militia a mob of 2,000 men made an attack on the plant of the American Smelting and Refining company threatening to burn the buildings.

They were repulsed by two volleys from rifles in the hands of police and detectives guarding the plant, but no one was injured.

TAFT MAY DECLINE HONOR

Strange Story Persistently Bobs Up at Chicago.

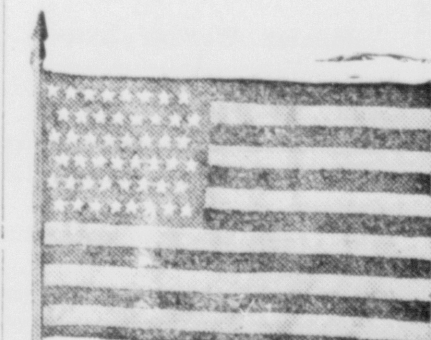
Chicago, June 14.—A story that Taft will not get the nomination, thus demonstrating his control over the convention, and then decline in a public statement issued from the White House, in which he will suggest the nomination of Justice Hughes, is being circulated in the city. Just where it came from nobody knows. It has not originated with members of the national committee, so far as can be ascertained, nor with the delegates. The men in charge of both the Taft and the Roosevelt headquarters decline to assume responsibility for it. But the story persists in bobbing up daily a score or more of times and always it finds ready listeners.

The Flat That Failed.

Howell—How do you like your new home? Powell—It is a flat failure.

New York Press.

COLONEL'S MEN IN JOLLY MOOD



Missouri Contest Victory Encourages Roosevelt Rooters.

HENEY CREATES ENTHUSIASM

William Flinn Addresses Meeting of Roosevelt Delegates at Congress Hotel—Dixon and Heney Drop in and Latter Announces Result of Missouri Contest, Which Causes Meeting to Indulge in Joyful Cheering.

Chicago, June 14.—While the national committee was disposing of the Missouri contests Roosevelt delegates in Chicago were assembled in the Congress hotel listening to a speech by William Flinn of Pennsylvania, who urged "every man must do his full duty and not give up the fight."

Several hundred men were in the room cheering when news reached the fringe of the crowd that Missouri had been won for Roosevelt in the national committee. Francis J. Heney of San Francisco brought the tidings. He first communicated it to former Governor Franklin Fort of New Jersey and Alexander Moore of Pittsburg.

"We don't know that here," said the former New Jersey executive. "For Heney's sake get up there and start something."

Heney started to wedge his way through the crowd to the rostrum and was about to be recognized by Mr. Flinn when Senator Dixon, the Roosevelt campaign manager, who had been sent for, arrived. Cheers for Dixon postponed Heney's announcement and the leader of the Roosevelt fight advanced to speak.

"If Theodore Roosevelt is not wanted by the convention for president of the United States next Thursday," Senator Dixon declared, after a few introductory remarks, "you can back me up against a wall and do anything you want to with me."

Raises Hand for Silence.

As he spoke the senator folded his arms and further emphasized his statement by leaning against the wall. After he had been cheered until he raised his hand for silence Senator Dixon proceeded to declare that the Republican national committee could not possibly get enough delegates for Taft to nominate.

"The members of the national committee cannot stand the strain of public opinion, which is with us, much longer," he declared, "and you will be the national committee to choose the standard bearer a few days from now."

The senator pleaded haste as his excuse for brevity and Mr. Heney took the rostrum. When he announced that the national committee had given the Missouri delegates at large to Roosevelt there was a tumult and then Mr. Flinn asked:

"After that do you still compare the national committee to forty thieves?"

"Yes," responded Heney. "I still compare some of the committee to the forty thieves."

"But don't you think the committee is improving?" Flinn continued.

"Only as to results," said Heney.

Governor Stubbs of Kansas, William Allen White, Edward C. Carrington of Maryland and others shared in stirring up enthusiasm.

Following this meeting the members of the national committee began to arrive from the adjourned meeting at the Coliseum and they were at once surrounded and pressed for explanations of the sudden adjournment.

Eager to Study Evidence.

Senator Borah of Idaho confessed to inquirers that he was ignorant of the reason for the sudden adjournment and said that it was at the request of Senator Crane. He had not objected to the motion to adjourn. The Idaho senator said he thought it possible that some of the committee leaders had been fooled on evidence in the Missouri contest and wished to look carefully into the evidence in the Washington and Texas contests before bringing them up in the committee for action.

These contests, like Missouri, were instituted by the Taft forces.

"Senator Crane told me," said Senator Borah, "that the members of the committee were tired, that he thought time could be gained by adjourning for the day and arranging to consolidate some of the contests and that the allies wished to investigate several of the contests."

Senator Dixon took an entirely different view of the matter. In stating his views he supported them with the statement that the Taft leaders on the committee had been frightened by desertions from their own ranks.

"That's why Penrose and Crane fled to cover to counsel on a change of plans," he said.

The Roosevelt campaign manager concluded his statement with the flat declaration that the Roosevelt forces would control the temporary organization of the convention and that Roosevelt would be nominated.

Shoots Wife and Kills Himself.

Perry, Ia., June 14.—Angered because of the refusal of his young wife to return to him R. A. Perry, twenty-four years old, shot her, inflicting fatal wounds, and then turned the gun on himself, sending a bullet through his heart and dying instantly. The woman cannot live.

ITALIANS WIN LONG BATTLE

Defeat Arabs and Turks With Heavy Losses.

Homs, Tripoli, June 14.—A strong force composed of Turks and Arabs with artillery attacked the Italian positions at this point on the night of June 11. All the available Italian troops were turned out and made a counter attack. A long and fiercely contested battle ensued, the Turks being driven back with heavy losses. Italian burying parties found forty-two bodies in one part of the field alone.

The Italians had thirty-one killed and fifty wounded.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association.

St. Paul 5, Louisville 4.

Indianapolis 3, Minneapolis 2.

Milwaukee 5, 1, Columbus 3, 3.

Standing of the Clubs—Toledo, .672; Columbus, .656; Minneapolis, .638; Kansas City, .508; St. Paul, .493; Indianapolis, .393; Louisville, .364; Milwaukee, .362.

National League.

New York 3, Chicago 2.

Pittsburg 5, Brooklyn 0.

Boston 5, St. Louis 4.

Philadelphia 11, Cincinnati 10.

Standing of the Clubs—New York, .822; Pittsburg, .545; Chicago, .543; Cincinnati, .540; Philadelphia, .455; St. Louis, .451; Boston, .327; Brooklyn, .318.

American League.

Chicago 3, Boston 2.

Philadelphia 4, Detroit 3.

Washington 6, Cleveland 3.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, June 13.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.14; No. 1 Northern, \$1.13; No. 2 Northern, \$1.11; July, \$1.12; \$1.12; Sept., \$1.06; Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.29; Sept., \$2.08.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, June 13.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.25; cows and heifers, \$3.75@7.00; calves, \$4.50@7.85; feeders, \$3.00@6.15. Hogs—\$6.70@7.30. Sheep—Lambs, \$3.50@8.25; wethers, \$4.00@4.75; ewes, \$1.00@4.00; wool stuff, \$1.25@4.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, June 13.—Wheat—July, \$1.08; Sept., \$1.05; \$1.05; Dec., \$1.06. Corn—July, 74c; Sept., 72c; Dec., 63c. Oats—July, 50c; Sept., 41c; Dec., 41c. Pork—July, \$18.57; Sept., \$19.27. Butter—Creameries, 23c; 25c; dairies, 20c@24c. Eggs—15c@17c. Poultry—Turkeys, 12c; chickens, 12c; springs, 25c@30c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 13.—Cattle—Beesves, \$6.10@9.40; Texas steers, \$6.50@8.20; Western steers, \$6.50@8.25; stockers and feeders, \$4.30@6.90; cows and heifers, \$2.90@8.30; calves, \$5.50@9.00. Hogs—Light, \$7.10@7.50; mixed, \$7.15@7.55; heavy, \$7.10@7.55; rough, \$7.10@7.20; pigs, \$5.25@7.00. Sheep—Native, \$3.25@5.25; yearlings, \$4.75@7.00; lambs, \$4.50@8.00.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, June 13.—Wheat—July, \$1.11; Sept., \$1.05; Dec., \$1.05. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.14; No. 1 Northern, \$1.13; to arrive, \$1.13; No. 2 Northern, \$1.12; to arrive, \$1.12; No. 3 Northern, \$1.10; to arrive, \$1.10; No. 3 yellow corn, 71c; No. 4 corn, 63c@67c; No. 3 white oats, 51c@52c; to arrive, 51c; No. 8 oats, 48c@50c; barley, 65c@1.10; flax, \$2.25; to arrive, \$2.24.

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Brainerd Weather Bureau
Temperature taken by Theo.
Miller, Cooperative Observer

June 13—Maximum temperature,
66 degrees.
June 14—Minimum temperature,
49 degrees.
The U. S. weather bureau forecast
is: "Showers tonight, Saturday
cloudy."

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

M. J. Ries, dry goods, 209 7th St.
Dr. J. A. Thabes went to St. Paul
this afternoon.

F. H. Colvin went to Minneapolis
this afternoon.
Miss Agnes Bidwell has returned
from a visit at Cloquet.

Miss Irene Lowey went to St. Paul
Friday to visit friends.
Go to Kaatz's for Millinery. It
pays. 1111

Miss Selma A. Anderson went to
Fergus Falls this noon.
Former Mayor Lovdahl, of Crosby,
is in the city on business.

Porch Shades, all sizes, at Patek's.
307tf
The Clerks union held an election
of officers Thursday evening.

L. W. Thabes went to Pillager to-
day to do some plastering.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Foft returned
today from their wedding trip.

Grass and garden seed, new and
fresh. D. M. Clark & Co. 255tf

Attorney A. L. Agatin, of Duluth,
is in the city on legal business.

Attorney W. W. Bane returned
from Little Falls yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. M. Southey arrived today to
visit her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Wil-
liams.

Get your gingham dresses at
Kaatz's, special low prices this week. 11

Miss Elizabeth Burfield, of Lake
City, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C.
O. Field.

M. T. Dunn went to Minneapolis
today to attend the state bankers' as-
sociation.

Lawn mowers sharpened, called
for and delivered, by D. M. Clark &
Co. 257tf

J. C. Barber, of Chicago, arrived
in Brainerd on the afternoon train
yesterday.

Mrs. C. W. Eastman and Mrs. J.
F. Mitchell went to Minneapolis this
afternoon.

Dean White leaves tomorrow for
International Falls where he has ac-
cepted a position.

Ed. Rogers, of Walker, came to
town today and will play with
Brainerd Sunday.

Dr. Whittier, of the state board of
health, has been in the city exam-
ining the water supply.

Mrs. R. J. Hartley left this after-
noon to visit friends and relatives at
Benton Harbor, Mich.

Modern heating and plumbing work
guaranteed. D. M. Clark & Co. 11

Mrs. C. S. Hazen, of Duluth, who
is visiting her mother, Mrs. N. B.
Chase, returns home on Saturday.

Bib line of hats, for Saturday \$1.98.
L. M. Koop's millinery department. 12

Harry Murphy has returned from
the University of Minnesota and will
spend his summer vacation in Brainerd.

Miss Hilda Slipp is home on a visit.
Miss Slipp is studying to be a nurse at
the County & City Hospital of St.
Paul.

Most complete line of Eastman
Kodaks and supplies at Skauge's drug
company. 5tf

The state bankers' convention will
be held in the twin cities Saturday
and local bankers will attend the ses-
sions.

George McCulloch and James Rob-
ertson attended the Odd Fellow con-
vention, being delegates to the grand
lodges.

John Morken and sister, Miss Ber-
tha Morken, of Bay Point, Cal., are
visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Peter-
son and other relatives.

Awings for stores and residences
at D. M. Clark & Co. 255tf

Si Hall, Henry McGinn, John
Mutch, Artie White, Ed. Ovig, Messrs
Wallace and Henry Roberts attended
the state firemen's convention.

Rev. C. W. Boquist, of the Swedish
Mission church, went to Staples to-
day to attend a mission conference
seven miles out in the country.

Bib line of hats, for Saturday \$1.98.
L. M. Koop's millinery department. 12

Parker Waite, a former resident of
Brainerd who has been living at Pil-
lager for several years past, has re-
moved with his family to Bath, Can-
ada.

The ladies of the First Baptist
church will give a cooking sale at
the Cale store, recently occupied by
John Mann on Seventh street, on Sat-
urday, June 15.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for
quality. Order a case. Telephone
164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-tf

Mrs. Harry T. Laymon, the wife of
the popular manager of the Empress
theatre, has returned from a visit of
several weeks with her parents in
Los Angeles, Cal.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Gladys
B. Edwards will be held at 2 P. M.
from the residence of her mother and
at 3 o'clock from the Presbyterian
church on Saturday afternoon.

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livered to any part of the city. Phone
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The store conducted by Mrs. Al-
ma A. Lundmark at 912 Oak street
was damaged by fire last night, the
stock she carries being almost a total
loss from fire, smoke and water.

Frank Peutz, of St. Cloud, has ac-
cepted a position as cigar maker in
the shop of Schlange & Coleman. The
company's cigars meet a ready sale in
Brainerd and on the Cuyuna iron
range.

Miss Edith Bohlke, the visiting
nurse, went to Staples this noon to
commence a month's work as visiting
nurse in that district, paying particu-
lar attention to the anti-tubercu-
losis propaganda.

Brainerd Auditorium to rent for
dances and public meetings. Apply
to Keene & McFadden or Prof. Col-
vin. 293tf

Mr. and Mrs. Munholland, of Red
Wing, arrived in the city today and
will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A.
R. Cass. Mr. Munholland is a dele-
gate to the labor convention meeting
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spend the week end. Located 5
miles east of Jenkins. Fine roads.
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George W. Moody, the court report-
er, is getting out the transcript of the
Dumas case, the defendants' attorneys
now being engaged in the prepara-
tion of their arguments for a new
trial. George H. Spear, of Grand
Rapids, has been engaged to assist
Freeman P. Lane, of Minneapolis.

Assembly dance every Thursday
night at Brainerd Auditorium. Dan-
cing lessons every Thursday afternoon
and evening. Dancing taught in six
hours by Prof. Colvin. 301-tf

The Wednesday evening band con-
cert attracted the largest audience
the band has ever been favored with.
"The Golden Scepter" was the piece
de resistance. The cornet solo was
also liberally applauded. "The Mill
in the Forest" was a descriptive piece
and was well and ably interpreted by
the musicians.

The regular meeting of the Elks on
June 6th was changed to this Friday
evening, June 14th for the conven-
ience of the district deputy, Richard
J. Angus, of Fergus Falls, who will
make the Brainerd lodge an official

Another Great Sale Saturday

A Big Lot of **R&C** at One-Half Price
CORSETS Sizes 18 to 36

A large lot of Waists, big values at 98c.
Dress goods 10c a yard were values up to 75c a yard.
All Spring Coats, Suits and separate Skirts Must Go and they Will Go
Now at the Prices we offer them.

Visit this Busy Sale.

"Murphy's" "The Store of Quality"

At the meeting this evening
two candidates will be initiated, the
district deputy will deliver an ad-
dress, and a good lunch will be
served.

Since President Vincent came to
the University of Minnesota, there
has been a general desire on the part
of the people at large throughout the
state to display a greater interest in
their state university. The univer-
sity is now reciprocating for this sen-
timent and is making a week's to the
various important industrial centers
of the state, and will do its own en-
tertaining. Brainerd's week begins
Monday, and for six days there will
be a feast of learning for all classes.

Patronize Walker's hall dances.
These dances are conducted by citi-
zens of Brainerd and members of or-
ganized labor. Every convenience
possible is arranged for at the hall,
electric program, two large 5-foot
electric ceiling fans, ice water, etc.
The floor is excellent and the music
is furnished by the popular Blue Rib-
bon orchestra. Dancing every Wed-
nesday and Saturday. Dancing les-
sons Saturdays from 7:30 to 9:00,
with a guarantee to learn for \$1.00.
Ladies free and perfectly welcomed.

When the "All Nations" Carrie Na-
tion ball team figured on playing the
Brainerd league team two games
Thursday they did not take into ac-
count Jupiter Pluvius, who proved
too strong for both teams and who
won out in the contest. The drizz-
ling afternoon and evening rain and
the chilly state of the atmosphere
proved a drawback and there were
no games yesterday. The "All Na-
tion" team is billed to play Crosby
this afternoon and evening and the
range town is hoping there will be
a gleam of sunshine during the af-
ternoon.

\$10 REWARD
For information or return of
New Elm English setter pup.
Black around jaws and ears,
rest entirely white. Comes to
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The Cost of Government in Min- nesota—No. 2

The cost of government is mea-
sured by the taxes actually collected
rather than by the amount levied.

In Minnesota there is considerable
variation, from county to county, in
the per cent of taxes collected; and
the larger the proportion of uncol-
lected taxes is, the higher the rate
of taxation must be made in order to
produce the necessary revenue. The
effect of uncollected taxes is thus to
create a gap between the amount of
taxes levied and the amount col-
lected; and the wider this gap becomes,
the less reliance can be placed on the
tax levy as a test of the real cost of
government.

The previous investigation, given in
the report of the tax commission for
1910, was pioneer work in Minnesota
and conducted under many difficul-
ties. Reliance was therefore placed
on the tax levy (as reported in the
abstract of tax lists filed with the
state auditor) to show the amount
raised by taxation for the county and
the minor subdivisions of the county,
as classes; and only municipalities of
5000 or more population were asked
to report actual receipts of taxes and
actual expenditures, the others being
requested to report merely receipts
from licenses, fees, fines and sales.

In the present investigation, for the
reasons stated above, it has
seemed desirable to ask county audi-
tors, and the accounting officers of all
cities and villages in Minnesota to
report the actual receipts from tax-
ation, as well as from other sources;
and likewise the actual payments for
all purposes. Since all taxes for
minor subdivisions of the county are
handled through the county treasury,
these statements from the county au-
ditors will show the actual receipts
from taxation by all townships, taken
together; also the tax receipts of
cities and villages, and of all school
districts, as classes.

Again, the public schools absorb a
very large part of the public rev-
enue in many communities indeed,

not far from half the money raised by
taxation. In the previous investiga-
tion the tax levy for school purposes
was shown by counties, but actual
school receipts and expenditures were
given only in the large cities. This
omission, as explained in the report
of the commission for 1910, was due
to the fact that the school district
frequently does not coincide in bound-
aries with the municipality, and
usually has a separate board of educa-
tion, so that no one is able to furnish
a consolidated statement of receipts
and expenditures for all purposes, in-
cluding the schools. Moreover, owing
to the difference in boundaries, it is
exceedingly difficult and sometimes
impossible to combine separate state-
ments for the city and the schools so
as to give a correct and consistent to-
tal. Nevertheless, in the present in-
vestigation, schedules calling for actual
receipts and payments have been
sent to the clerks of all school dis-
tricts which include municipalities of
1000 or more population, and the at-
tempt will be made to consolidate the
school and the city or village state-
ments so as to show the real total
cost of government in as many com-
munities of various sizes as possible.

A subsequent article will discuss
the necessity of making certain dis-
tinctions which are not commonly ob-
served in municipal accounts, such as
that between general and commercial
revenues, and between current ex-
pense and permanent improve-
ments, in order to find out what is
actually the cost of government in
Minnesota.

Of course you pay your money,
But you get your's money worth,
For what does money mean to you,
When Rocky Mountain Tea's on
earth. Skauge Drug Co. mwf

A Breach of Etiquette.

"Am I to understand that you were
discharged from the army for a mere
breach of etiquette?" queried the in-
terested friend.
"Yes, sir," boldly asserted Colonel
Blupher.
"What was it?"
"Turning my back to the enemy."—
Philadelphia Record.

Curious Newspaper.

The most northerly newspaper in the
world is published at Hammerstein, in
Russia, in a small wooden cabin roofed
with turf. It is a weekly journal called
Nord Cap. When the subscribers re-
ceive the news it is usually a fortnight
after the events have occurred. The
greater part of the subscriptions are
paid for with fish.

Wilbur Wright, Air Pioneer.

Passes the conqueror
Of that great, wide empyrean domain
Which since the dawn of time
Has sacred been to eagle, wind and rain:

Maker of flying ship,
Which he steered safely, with exultant
breath,
Through that uncharted sea
Which dashed so many followers to death

Passes the pioneer
Into those realms from which there is no
flight
Nor any messenger
To tell his welcome at their walls of light

Dirge for the conqueror?
And you will, but paeon, too, must have
place here.
For down the years to come
His title will ring forth—air pioneer.
—O. H. Roessler in New York Times

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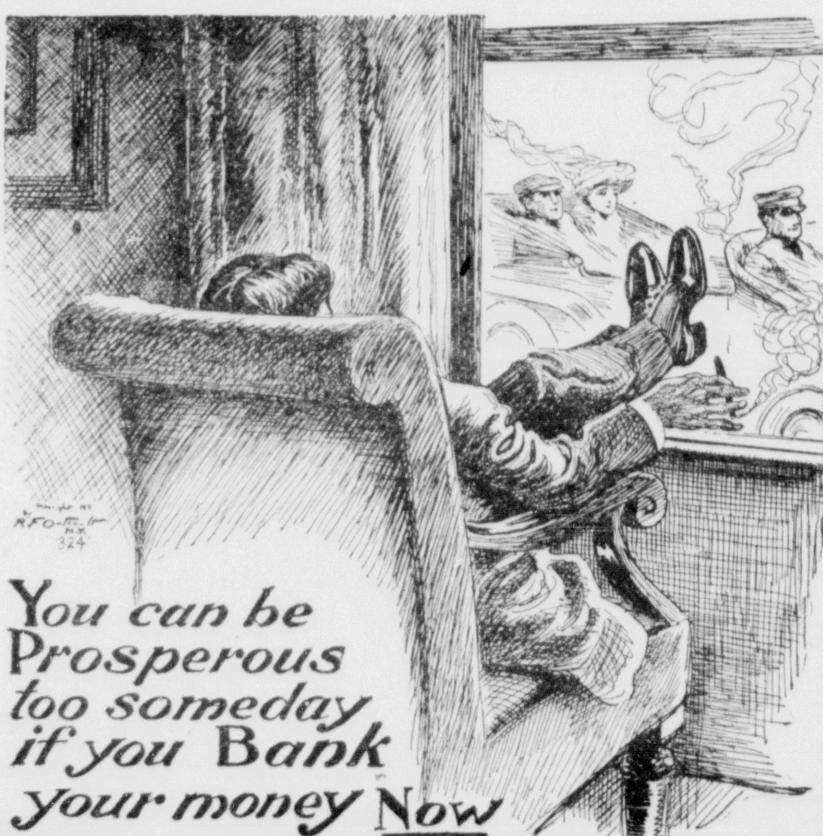
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CONVENTION HERE LARGEST EVER HELD

From Credentials so Far Received
State Federation of Labor Meet
Will be Biggest Held

IN BRAINERD JUNE 17, 18, 19

Pres. Hall, Sec'y. McEwen and J. P. Thomson Will Arrive in Brainerd Saturday

The State Federation of Labor convention to be held in Brainerd June 17, 18 and 19 will be the largest ever held by that body.

President Hall will arrive in Brainerd on the morning train from Minneapolis Saturday. W. E. McEwen, the secretary-treasurer of the federation, will arrive on the noon train Saturday from Duluth.

Secretary McEwen will be accompanied by J. P. Thomson, the secretary of the Trade and Labor Assembly of Duluth, who is to act as a member of the committee on credentials.

From the credentials so far received the Brainerd convention next Monday will be the largest held in some years.

The local committee on arrangements has all preparations completed and is awaiting the day of the opening of the convention. Everything possible will be done to make the stay of the delegates and their friends a pleasant one in Brainerd, one which will cause them to remember Brainerd as THE CONVENTION CITY of the state.

The near by range towns of Barrows, Deerwood, Crosby, Oreland, Cuyuna, Ironton and Manganese, scenes of mining and exploration work, offer fine side trips to the delegates and many will take the opportunity to visit these places and see the iron industry and how the operation of an iron mine is carried on.

Obituary

Mrs. Gladys Blanche Edwards died at a local hospital of typhoid fever at nine o'clock Wednesday evening after a month's illness. Mrs. Edwards lived with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Wayt, near Rice lake. She was born at Dassel, Meeker county and was 23 years old. She leaves a widowed mother, five brothers and five sisters, which include Mrs. Grace Jackson, of 1224 Whiteley Ave.; Mrs. Edna Jackson, of Bluff Ave.; Mrs. Adeline Ploysyk, of 523 Lake street; Miss Frances and Miss Pearl Wayt, of Brainerd; Owen Wayt of Vancouver, Wash.; C. T. George, Richard and Harold Wayt of Brainerd.

Mrs. Edwards was educated in the Brainerd public schools and taught country schools several seasons. She enjoyed a large circle of friends. The family have the sympathy of all.

GARRISON BREEZES

Mrs. Rider is back again from Minneapolis, where she has spent the winter with her daughter. She expects to spend the summer in her home at Midland.

Miss Myra Miller is home on a short visit from Brainerd, where she has been since last winter.

Tom Scott has been in Brainerd the past week. The horse he was driving stepped on a sharp iron in the street, laying him up so he has not been able to drive him home.

The steam boat from Wabkon made its first trip this spring around the lake this week, gathering the cream from different points on the lake, taking it to the Wabkon creamery.

Hiram Scott, Jr., has bought a fine driving horse of Ed. Elmore. He expects to keep away from robbers after this.

There is to be a fourth of July celebration at Midland, given by the ball nine. It is a very pretty point on the lake and they ought to have a big crowd and a good time.

Mr. Joseph Harrison was in town one day this week.

A WIDE AWAKE QWL.

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ROOSEVELT IN THE SADDLE AT CHICAGO

Special to Dispatch:—

New York, June 14—Theodore Roosevelt announced shortly after noon today that he had decided to go to Chicago to lead his fight for the nomination personally. He will leave New York at 5:30 this afternoon.

DISPATCH TO PRINT FINE SOUVENIRS

The Daily Edition June 17 Will be an Illustrated Labor Edition of Great Interest

JUNE 18, THE MINING EDITION

Two Page Map of the Cuyuna Iron Range Supplied by Oreland Townsite Co. to be Printed

The Dispatch will print two editions which will be souvenirs of important events and developments. On June 17, the opening date of the State Federation of Labor convention, the Dispatch will print an edition illustrated with the pictures of many of the prominent labor leaders of the state and country. A convention which honors Brainerd by its presence will be covered in detail every day.

On June 18 the Dispatch will print a mining supplement which will cover developments on the Cuyuna iron range and also show the growth of the range towns.

A feature among the illustrations and other good things provided will be a two page map covering the range to date, drawn by and supplied by the Oreland Townsite company, of Deerwood, the promoters of the new and rapidly growing town of Oreland situated on the Cuyuna Northern railway southwest of Deerwood and near the Adams mine.

Never in the history of local printing has a map as big as this been run by a paper. It is the last word in the map line regarding the range and will be of corresponding importance as it shows the lines of attraction, the mines, the shafts, the new towns and presents other valuable information.

Marriage Licenses

June 6, 1912—John E. Matson to Clara Elizabeth Malmstrom.

June 8—Jesse R. James to Adeline Debolt.

Notice

100 pairs of Tan and Black Oxfords and Pumps \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 values, now on sale at \$1.98. L. M. Koop, the big popular store. t2

CROW WING ITEMS

Miss Lottie Young has returned from Randall.

E. E. Ahre, of Deerwood, has moved on to the Porter farm with a drill crew.

Miss Beatrice Heath, of Little Falls, has been hired to teach the school in Dist. No. 1 next year.

W. L. Jack is confined to the house with the mumps.

Mrs. F. C. Kerr left on Monday for her new home in Canada.

Mrs. B. I. Heath arrived on Tuesday to visit in this vicinity.

Mrs. Jensen, who has been visiting at Geo. Wetherbee's, left for her home in Charles City, Ia., on Monday.

Allie Bratt has a gasoline launch running on Crow Wing lake.

Mrs. Fred Johnson of Ft. Ripley, was visiting at R. R. Hoopman's.

Notice to Public

Owing to the fact that it is unsafe to drink or use for domestic purposes the river water in its present state, I would advise and urge all our people to BOIL THE RIVER WATER BEFORE USING until further notice.

By order

Board of Health.

IS LAID ON THE TABLE AT MEETING

Board of Directors of Central Minnesota Baseball Association Considers Crosby Game

REGARDING ST. CLOUD PROTEST

Vote to Table the Whole Matter Carried by 4 to 1 Vote, Crosby Not Voting

The board of directors of the Central Minnesota Baseball association took up the St. Cloud protest regarding the game the saints played with Crosby at the range town. All the directors were present at the Little Falls gathering.

St. Cloud claimed that Crosby was playing men not on their roster. Director C. A. Lewis, of Crosby, squarely outlined Crosby's position and made an effective speech. He told how the list sent down to Little Falls, by a stenographic mistake, had omitted the name of a fielder and had substituted his own name as a player. Mr. Lewis showed how the interest on the range was bringing big crowds to the ball games and of how Crosby had practically given the town to St. Cloud when that town played in Crosby last Sunday.

On a motion to table the protest the vote went 4 to 1, Crosby not voting.

The association has adopted the Reach ball as the official ball of the league.

Some of the St. Cloud games may be transferred to Brainerd if Manager Thielman sees fit and which he will do if the attendance at St. Cloud does not increase.

The status of Pitcher Jake Thielman was taken up. It is alleged he was playing professional ball when he had not been released from a position with a league team. The secretary was instructed to write the secretary of the national association of baseball clubs about his standing.

FARMERS UP IN ARMS

Residents Along the East Oak Street Road Object to Its Being Made Dumping Grounds

Farmers residing along the East Oak street road are up in arms against the growing practice of some people to dump garbage and refuse in the ditches on the sides of the road and even on the thoroughfare. The stuff includes everything from dead cats and dogs to tin cans and pickles, barrels and boxes, waste paper from paperhangers and other stuff, all making an unsightly mess.

The farmers have appointed watchers along the highway and the persons caught in the act of distributing this debris will be severely dealt with according to law and made an example of.

REV. CAMPBELL TO PREACH

The International Falls Divine Will Preach at the Episcopal Church Sunday

Rev. B. Campbell, of International Falls, who has charge of several missions in the northern country, will preach at St. Paul's Episcopal church Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Campbell is a young man and is said to be a good pulpit orator.

Bishop Morrison sent him down to supply this local charge until a rector was elected by the congregation.

Attention Comrades

There will be an open special meeting of Pap Thomas Post No. 30, G. A. R. on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock to which all comrades are invited, as there are matters of importance to talk over. Come and help out.

ALBERT FOX, Com.,
Pap Thomas Post No. 30, G. A. R.

BAND CONCERT

Unity Band Gives a Concert at the Kaatz Store Corner This Evening

The Unity band of Northeast Brainerd gives a concert at the Kaatz & Son store corner this evening commencing at 7:30 sharp. The band, under the leadership of S. V. Long, has made commendable progress and the program prepared for this evening will constitute some of the best selections in the band's repertoire.

IN DISTRICT COURT

Juries Render Verdicts in Two Cases, Awarding Plaintiffs Nominal Damages

The jury in the case of Frank Fastelin vs Charles Peterson brought in a verdict for the plaintiff, assessing his damages at \$100.

The case of the Oreland Townsite Co. vs the Pine Tree Lumber Co. et al was on agreement submitted to Judge W. S. McClenahan to take up in chambers.

The case of Jacob Walton vs Chas. R. Bruce was dismissed as per stipulation.

In the case of Kate P. Ritter vs J. G. Heald, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff and assessed her damages at \$30.

The case of A. L. Biern vs R. L. Mathews is on trial this afternoon.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR RHEUMATISM KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

PRES. TAFT GETS 8 MORE DELEGATES

Special to Dispatch:—

Chicago, June 14—Eight delegates designated as supporters of President

Taft were declared entitled to seats in the republican national convention by the national committee today. Four of these, two each from the third district of Oklahoma and the second district of Tennessee, were victorious over contesting Roosevelt delegations.

"LOTUS" LAUNCHED BY BOAT COMPANY

New 60 Passenger Launch Added to the Ingalls Motor Boat Co. Fleet

CHURCH CORNER STONE LAID

Geo. H. Crosby is the Principal Speaker at the Exercises Held Thursday Evening

Crosby, Minn., June 14—The "Lotus" was launched by the Ingalls Motor Boat company and took to the water like a duck. The boat is 40 feet long and has an eight foot beam. She is equipped with a 30 horsepower Doman engine of the four cylinder type. Within 30 minutes of her launching she made her trial trip. The boat was built by the motor boat company at their boat yard in Crosby and is a fine specimen of work. She carries 60 passengers very comfortably.

The cornerstone of the First Presbyterian church of Crosby was laid with appropriate ceremonies on Thursday evening, the principal address being made by George H. Crosby. Prominent business men of the city took part in the ceremonies which were attended by many people.

At least 500 people saw the St. Cloud-Crosby game. The Ingalls Motor Boat Co. used its large barge, the Chippewa, and took several hundred at a time across the lake in less than 20 minutes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pitt have returned from Hopkinton, Iowa, where they attended the graduation exercises at Lenox, their daughter, Miss Leina Pitt, being one of the graduates. Miss Pitt is now attending the Cedar Falls State normal school and will assume a position as teacher in the Oelwein, Iowa school as soon as she finishes her course at the normal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hart, of Wayne, Ohio, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. B. B. Gaylord.

Dr. H. E. Webster, of Duluth, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gaylord.

Charles Baldwin, of the legal firm of Baldwin & Baldwin, of Duluth, was in Crosby during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Young are visiting relatives in Park Rapids, Wis.

Rev. and Mrs. Elges are entertaining this week Rev. Elges' brother, Albert Elges and his mother, Mrs. Henry Elges, of LaGrange, Mo.

On Sunday Jesse R. James and Miss Adeline Debolt were married at the Presbyterian church parsonage by Rev. W. H. Elges.

Louis Lefkowitz has returned from the University of Arizona and will play in the Crosby team.

F. A. Lindbergh is erecting an office building on Main street.

Dr. A. C. Bosel has formed a company which is manufacturing the tie and rail lock he invented.

Joe H. Haster has bought an interest in the barber shop of R. H. Warren and the firm name is now Warren & Haster. They are running a four chair shop.

R. H. Warren will umpire the Sauk Rapids-Brainerd game at Brainerd next Sunday.

The fire department is in process of organization.

William Butt, of Brainerd, will on July 1st occupy the Pitt building on Main street and establish an up to date jewelry store there. The building is rapidly nearing completion and carpenters will commence the finishing work as soon as the plaster dries.

Daniel Gorman, yardmaster of Moberg, S. D., is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. A. Gulth.

How's This

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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50c Perfumes 35c oz.

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You will find many ribbons as wide as we sell them for 25c but you don't find as heavy. Our speciality is heavy ribbons at 25c. Fact is we sell one just as wide at 19c and one 4 inches wide at 7c but the 25c quality is both wide and heavy.

"MICHAEL'S"

UNIVERSITY WEEK

Proving its Worth, Mayor Dunn Commends Efforts of Those Desiring to Make Week a Success

"University Week" is proving more successful this week than it did last. The people of several cities are congratulating themselves upon the results. The Minneapolis Journal writes: "Many have a wrong impression of the aim of the movement. They think the idea is simply to peddle information and instruction about art and literature, education, town and country life, public health, the business of better farming, modern business methods, and home welfare, and so on. It is true that lectures on these and other subjects are being delivered. But the primary object is not to purvey such information. It is, to emphasize the fact that town and country are one community.

"To stimulate all the interests and activities of each center where a 'week' is held. To promote a better understanding between the body of citizens and the men and women who are trying to serve them, through the educational agencies of the state. To leave in each community influences which will have progressive and permanent effects.

"It will thus be seen that the plan is much more comprehensive than peddling condensed knowledge. It is a source of intense satisfaction that the movement is accomplishing its purpose."

Thursday was "Business Men's Day" at Plainview. All the stores closed from two to four p. m. that all might attend the lectures. These topics were discussed: "Modern Business Methods," "Movement Toward Efficiency," "Human Nature and Business," "Following the Crowd—A Trait in Human Nature," "A Better Race."

It was "Public Health Day" at Owatonna, and the fight against tuberculosis, provision for protection of public health, school house construction and fighting contagion, all received serious attention.

Professor Quigley writes: "The only objection to the 'week' is that the program is too full."

Mayor Dunn says: "It is indeed gratifying to see so many of our citizens so public spirited that they are giving their unselfish efforts to make this affair a success. After all, it is public sentiment, sanely directed, that counts so much in the development of the community for better things. We should welcome every movement that has for its slogan, the elevation of our moral, material, intellectual and aesthetic temperaments."

The box office will be open this evening from 7 to 9 and all day Saturday for the reservation of season tickets. It would facilitate matters if people would purchase their tickets today. We publish Friday's program for "Home Welfare Day":

9:30—"The Human Being of High School Age," Dr. Alice J. Mott, Principal of the Model School, University of Minnesota.

10:15—"Why Babies Die," Trained Nurse.

11:00—"The Artistic Home," Margaret Josephine Blair, Director of Domestic Art Division, College of Agriculture.

2:00—"The Kindergarten," Miss Stella L. Wood, Principal of the Kindergarten Association Normal, Minneapolis.

2:45—"Industrial Education," Professor A. W. Rankin, College of Education, University of Minnesota.

3:30—Reading Hour: Stories for Children, Miss Stella L. Wood.

4:30—Question Box.

8:00 P. M.—Illustrated Lecture: "How Minnesota Educates Her Children," Professor A. W. Rankin. Pro-

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The morning and afternoon sessions are free. On Monday night single tickets to "The Merchant of Venice" will sell at the following prices: downstairs 50c, balcony 35c, gallery 25c. Single admissions on all other evenings will be 35c for downstairs and 25c in the balcony and gallery.

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FOR REDUCING DELEGATES.

Democratic Plan Formed Also For Aiding Party in Republican States.

When the Democratic national committee meets it will be asked to vote on a new plan for representation in future conventions offered by Representative Burleson of Texas. The purpose is twofold—to cut down the unwieldy size which conventions have grown and to provide for a representation which will give Republican states less control over the Democratic party.

According to the Burleson plan, there would be one delegate from each congressional district, but districts represented in congress by a Democrat would be entitled to an additional delegate, or two delegates to a Democratic congressional district. If a state is represented in the senate by two Democratic senators it shall have four delegates at large, if by one Democrat and one Republican it shall have three at large and if represented by two Republicans only two delegates at large. The representation for a territory would be the same as for a state at large.

Mr. Burleson feels that his plan would conduce to a greater party interest in the congressional fights in the states with a view to holding or obtaining stronger representation in the national conventions. He thinks the Republicans might adopt this plan with benefit and as superior to the plan of representation by popular vote on the presidency, as now urged by the Republican progressives.

WILL MARRY HEALTHY ONLY.

Two Hundred Chicago Pastors Indorse Plan to Have Doctor's Certificate.

The suggestion that ministers demand a health certificate as well as a marriage license from those wishing to be married was approved by 200 Protestant clergymen in a meeting of the federated churches of Chicago.

While no set of rules was proposed for the various churches, a resolution was adopted unanimously urging pastors to direct their energies toward creating public opinion that shall indorse the plan proposed.

"While some may urge that the state should take the first step in demanding a health certificate," said Dean Sumner, "I answer that for forty years Michigan has had a law which provides that a minister who marries a person who is a victim of a contagious disease shall be fined \$1,000 and sent to jail."

"The law has never been enforced. It will not be enforced until the ministers take the initiative in the desired reform."

CONSIDER OTHERS.

A little thought will show you how vastly your own happiness depends on the way other people bear themselves toward you. Turn the idea around and remember that just so much are you adding to the pleasure or the misery of other people's days by your attitude toward them.

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A TRICKY TONGUE. STUDIED THE BIRDS

It Won Dean Spooner a Reputation For Unconscious Humor.

QUEER BLUNDERS OF SPEECH

Some of the Gems Attributed to the Old Dean's Habit of Interchanging the First Letters or Syllables of Words—American "Spoonerisms."

"Spoonerisms" is a recognized and accepted word used in the best circles of English society, even though it has not yet found its way into the dictionaries. Derived from the last name of the Rev. William A. Spooner, ward en of New college, Oxford, it characterizes a curious sort of blunder that is habitual with that man—the unconscious interchanging of the first letters or syllables of words with what are often directly humorous results.

The most famous of all the stories about him tells how he once thundered from the pulpit, "Jehovah was not on the side of the kinkering congs, meaning, of course, 'conquering kings'."

At another time he convulsed his audience by boldly stating that he held concealed a half wormed fish (half formed wish) in his bosom.

At a university dinner given at the time of Queen Victoria's diamond jubilee he proposed, "Three cheers for the queer old dean," and they were given with a will, in honor not only of the dear old queen whom he had wished to remember, but of the queer old dean who had forgotten himself.

Exasperated by a would be humorist among his pupils, he informed him that he had a "weebie fit," not meaning any new disease, but the old, old complaint of a feeble wit.

To another who had been mainly occupied in wasting two terms at college he complained, "You have been incurrigibly lazy and, to top it all, you have tasted two worms."

In quoting the familiar text, "Bow not thy knee to an idol," he made it, "Bow not thine eye to a needle."

One day he discovered a stranger sitting in his family pew. "Madam," whispered he, "do you intend to occupy this pie?"

Also he could blunder as blithesomely in action as in speech. One windy day, as he was walking down High street in Oxford, his hat blew off. He stooped to pick it up, but at that very moment a hen hurried by. He set off in full pursuit and never stopped until he had caught hold of the luckless hen on Magdalen bridge. Then and there he solemnly tried to put the bird or his head.

Such are a few of the blunders in word and deed that have been attributed to the "dear old dean." Must we accept them all as genuine? Not if we are to believe a contributor to M. A. P., who informed that paper that at a church congress a well known delegate said to him:

"Have you ever noticed how spoonerisms have died out since Canon Liddon is no more? I will tell you how it is. Liddon and I used to make them up. One of our best, which is always attributed to Spooner, is 'From Iceland's Greasy Mountains'."

Spoonerisms at all events existed before Spooner himself was born. Some meritorious ones may be found in Moore's Diary. There is the story, for example, of an old actor named Parker, who used always to say the "poisoned pup" instead of the "poisoned cup." One night when he spoke it right the audience said "No, no!" and called for the other reading. Another actor mentioned in Moore made a great hit with the misquotation:

How sharper than a serpent's thanks it is To have a toothless child.

John Kemble was one night performing in a favorite part in a country theater when he was interrupted from time to time by the squalling of a child in the gallery. At length, angered by this rival performance, Kemble walked with solemn step to the front of the stage and, addressing the audience in his most tragic tones, said, "Ladies and gentlemen, unless the play is stopped the child cannot possibly go on."

America itself is not without its Spooners and its consequent spoonerisms. There must have been at least three Spooners in the western court where the following scene is said to have taken place:

"How far is it between these two towns?" asked the lawyer.

"About four miles as the flow cries," replied the witness.

"You mean as the cry flows," "No," put in the judge; "he means as the fly crows."

And then they all looked at one another, feeling that something was wrong.

A sort of conscious spoonerism was that brilliant jest credited to Dean Briggs of Harvard. During the year when the slogan "To hell with Yale!" first became popular among Cambridge undergraduates the dean, in company with Dr. Edward Everett Hale, was hurrying on his way to a great football game between Yale and Harvard.

"Where are you going?" asked an other member of the faculty.

"To yell with Hale," answered Dr. Briggs.—Boston Post.

ALCOTTS' HOME A MEMORIAL.

Old House at Concord Renovated and Restored by Friends.

The Old Orchard House at Concord, Mass., where A. Bronson Alcott and his daughter, Miss Louisa M. Alcott, wrote many of their essays and stories, has been opened as a memorial through the efforts of many of their friends and admirers.

The old wooden house has been renovated and restored, while contributions to the fittings have been made by many townspeople, by Miss Alcott's nephew, John S. P. Alcott, and Frank B. Sanborn, the venerable survivor of the Concord School of Philosophy.

Dental Corps For the Navy.

The house voted an amendment in the naval appropriation bill which would create a dental corps in the navy.

And Louis Mouillard Pointed the Way to the Aeroplane.

THE FATHER OF AVIATION.

Pathetic Career of the Man Who Originated the Theory of the Conquest of the Air With Machines That Would Imitate the Soaring of Vultures.

The French—themselves masters of the air—call Louis Mouillard the father of aviation, although he never flew. Mouillard was a theorist. It is admitted today that his theories were sound, although he never put them into achieving form. Mouillard wrote two books, "The Empire of the Air" and "Flight With Fixed Wings." Only the first of these works appeared during his lifetime, and that had a small circulation. But he pointed the way to fly, and ten years after his death the Wright brothers, following principles he set down, proved that he had solved the problem.

Mouillard explained that to seek to fly by imitating the beating of a bird's wings was error; that, instead of trying this impossible feat, man should imitate those birds which soar with steady wings and avail themselves of air currents. If Mouillard had possessed money there is little doubt that he would have demonstrated his theory, as it has been successfully proved. The life of this remarkable man seems, on superficial view, to have been a failure. But his compatriots, recognizing his real worth, set up a monument to his memory at Heliopolis, Egypt. He died in 1897. The story of his life is pathetic.

Mouillard was the son of a dyer of Lyons. From boyhood he was fascinated by the flight of birds. He managed to buy an eagle, which he secreted in the family garret and studied with an avid interest when ever he could escape from his books or work. He watched the bird's movements, measured its wings and studied it with infinite pains. And when he had mastered the secret, with the aid of his admiring sisters, he built an aeroplane with cotton and corset bones and determined himself to fly.

Going to a hill crowned with a church, with a sheer cliff on one side, the young inventor was about to trust himself to his contrivance when the beadle rushed at him, boxed his ears, confiscated his machine and sent him home in disgrace. This was the only attempt Mouillard ever made to fly, but his studies on the subject never ceased.

He showed such aptitude at drawing that it was decided he should make his living by this talent. He won a scholarship and, going to Paris, studied under Ingres. Yet while he drew and painted his mind was always on flight. He would climb the towers of Notre Dame, watch the startled birds take flight and study their movements.

Mouillard's father died, and his artistic career suddenly closed. He went to Algeria as a colonist and made a failure in that, but the birds again were his teachers. He noted that the sea birds rose, turned and flew against the wind without a movement of their wings. He weighed the bodies of the strongest, calculated wing space and advanced in his theories toward the truth.

Castling about for a vocation, for he was poor, Mouillard secured a place to teach drawing at the Polytechnic school of Cairo. Here he had another opportunity. He would study the vultures of the desert, and almost daily he sought them inland. He finally called the vulture "the master of flight," adding: "In the perfection of the result and the simplicity of the movement their flight is so splendid that it overcomes the watcher. Every time you look at it you are amazed that none has tried to reproduce it. It is so simple, so exactly what we want. What could we ask more than that steady flight and those immense circles which carry the bird into the heavens? They are all our desires realized." By degrees he formulated his theories of air currents. He observed that birds rose and hung motionless and moved without beating their wings. He ruminated on the air forces caused by the rising of hot air from the desert and their effect on the flight of the birds. He had solved the mystery.

Stricken with illness, Mouillard could no longer teach drawing. He managed to publish his "Empire of the Air," knowing its scientific value, and to reach Paris, where his theories were well received. The Society For Aerial Navigation made him a member, but no one was ready to advance him money for a practical demonstration of his theories.

Discouraged, Mouillard returned to Cairo, where he acted as cashier in a shop, his wife being employed in another place. They together earned but little. By degrees he finished his work on "Flight With Fixed Wings." Just before his death Chanute, the American, corresponded with Mouillard on the subject of aviation. It is said that from Chanute the knowledge gained from Mouillard passed to the Wrights. But ten years before they had conquered the air Mouillard died.—Lew. lla.

The Koto and Samisen.

Japanese girls of the upper and middle classes learn to play the "koto," while those of the lower orders usually learn the "samisen." The "koto" is a narrow horizontal instrument about five feet long with a sounding board upon which are stretched strings supported by ivory bridges. It is played by means of ivory finger tips. The player sits before the instrument on the floor in the ordinary posture, and when she touches the strings she often sings a soft accompaniment. The "samisen" is a kind of banjo and is often played during theatrical performances and recitations. It gives forth dull and monotonous tones.

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